



**Permanent Select Committee
on Intelligence
U.S. House of Representatives**

September 4, 2020

The Honorable John Ratcliffe
Director of National Intelligence
Washington, D.C. 20511

Dear Director Ratcliffe:

The House Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence (“Committee”), pursuant to its unique oversight and legislative authority regarding the Intelligence Community (“IC”), will be holding its previously scheduled full Committee classified intelligence briefing on election security, foreign malign influence, and election interference with members of the IC on Thursday, September 17, 2020 at 10:00 a.m.

As previously offered by the Office of the Director of National Intelligence (“ODNI”) on August 10, 2020, and consistent with past briefings to the Committee, including on February 13 and July 23, 2020, the Committee requests that senior intelligence professionals from the IC’s Election Executive and Leadership Board—specifically ODNI; the Federal Bureau of Investigation, including the Foreign Influence Task Force; the Central Intelligence Agency; the National Security Agency; and the Department of Homeland Security’s Cybersecurity and Infrastructure Security Agency and Office of Intelligence and Analysis—take part in the briefing.

In particular, the Committee expects from ODNI the participation of Director of the National Counterintelligence and Security Center William R. Evanina, Intelligence Community Threats Executive Shelby Pierson, and relevant National Intelligence Officers who have briefed the Committee previously.

Committee staff will follow up with your office to finalize the logistical arrangements.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Adam B. Schiff".

Adam B. Schiff
Chairman

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The Honorable Devin Nunes, Ranking Member
The Honorable Christopher Wray, Director, Federal Bureau of Investigation
The Honorable Gina Haspel, Director, Central Intelligence Agency
The Honorable Paul M. Nakasone, Director, National Security Agency
The Honorable Christopher C. Krebs, Director, Cybersecurity and Infrastructure
Security Agency
Mr. Joseph Maher, Senior Official Performing the Duties of the Acting Under
Secretary for Intelligence and Analysis, Department of Homeland Security